

The Hartford Herald

Illinois Central Railroad—Time Table at Beaver Dam, Ky.

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J. E. Williams, Agt.

THE PROUD FATHER OF THIRTY-FOUR CHILDREN

Hopes To Secure Another Bride, After Having Been Married Three Times.

London, May 2.—A man who has been married three times, has had 34 children and still hopes to marry again, has just been discovered in York.

This wonderful husband and father is William Bonnett, aged 65, who has worked as a ganger in various parts of England for over 40 years.

Bonnett, a tall, broad-shouldered man who does not look a day more than 50, tells as much as he can remember of his remarkable family—probably the largest family on record.

"I am a Norfolk man, sixth son out of a family of 11 children," he says. "I was born at Terrington, Norfolk, and started work at the age of eight."

"My father was a farm laborer earning \$6.25 a week, and until I was 18 I lived chiefly on bread and turnips."

"So you see I had no luxuries when I was a boy. In 1868, when I was 20, I married my first wife, Hepsy Suderby, a Terrington girl."

From this date Bonnett's living descendants may be placed in chronological order. Only 10 of his children are alive to-day.

First Marriage—Hepsy Suderby, who died in 1872, four children; two living.

Second Marriage, 1873—Caroline Tuck, died about 1890, 26 children, including triplets and twins (the latter on more than one occasion); six children living.

Third Marriage, 1898—Liza Page, who died in 1908, four children; two living.

This in brief is the record of Bonnett's family.

"I cannot think of the names of my children that died," said Bonnett. "Within a year my wife Caroline had five children—triplets and twins. We got the Queen's bounty of \$15. All these five children died, however."

"I've seen many funerals in my time—just 27, to be exact—in my own family."

"It may not be very long before I am married again. I can say what few men in my position can say—that no matter how many mouths I have had to feed, I have never had a parish loaf or charity from any one."

"My advice to bachelors is that to marry is the best thing a man can do."

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THE HUMBLE LITTLE ACORN HAD ITS OWN WAY

The following is taken from the current issue of Farm and Fire side:

"A German princess on her death-bed ordered that her grave be covered with a great granite slab and that around it should be placed solid blocks of stone and the whole be fastened together with clamps of iron, and that on the stone should be cut these words:

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INGERSOLL'S VISION.

A vision of the future rises: I see our country filled with happy homes, with firesides of content—the foremost land of all the earth.

I see a world where thrones have crumbled and where kings are dust. The aristocracy of idleness has perished from the earth.

I see a world without a slave. Man at last is free. Nature's forces have by science been enslaved. Lightning and light, wind and wave, frost and flame, and all the secret, subtle powers of the air, are the tireless toilers for the human race.

I see a world at peace, adorned with every form of art, with music's myriad voices thrilled, while lips are rich with words of love and truth—a world in which no exile sighs, no prisoner mourns; a world on which the gibbet's shadow does not fall; a world where labor reaps its full reward; where work and worth go hand in hand; where the poor girl trying to win bread with the needle—the needle that has been called "the asp for the breast of the poor"—is not driven to the desperate choice of crime or death or suicide or shame. I see a world without the beggar's outstretched palm, the miser's heartless, stony stare; the piteous wall of want, the livid lips of lies, the cruel eyes of scorn.

I see a race without disease of flesh or brain—shapely and fair, the married harmony of form and function—and, as I look, life lengthens, joy deepens, love ennobles the earth; and over all, in the great dome, shines the eternal star of human hope.

A VERY UNUSUAL OFFER TO THE HERALD READERS

For a limited time and subject to withdrawal after 30 days, the well known publishing house of the J. B. Lippincott Company, Philadelphia, founded 1792, offers the readers of The Hartford Herald a 15 months' subscription to "Lippincott's Magazine" and a year's subscription to The Herald, both for only \$3.00. This is the price of a twelve months' subscription to "Lippincott's" alone. Additional to obtaining every issue of The Herald for a year, our readers will receive in "Lippincott's" 15 great complete novels by popular authors, 195 short stories, crisp, entertaining, original; 45 timely articles from the pens of masters, and each month some excellent poems with the right sentiment, and "Walnuts and Wine," the most popular humor section in America. To obtain this extraordinary offer prompt action is necessary. Remit to J. B. Lippincott Company, Washington Square, Philadelphia, Pa. 15tf

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No Flood Insurance.

The Western Underwriter is in receipt of numerous letters this week asking if any company writes flood insurance. There is no such company. It is interesting in this connection to recall that this paper published articles last fall calling attention to the plan proposed by Ben H. Wilson, a local agent at Okaloosa, Iowa, who had worked out a scheme for valley flood protection. No company, however, could be induced to take it up. [Western Underwriter.]

A Foxy Scheme.

"Tommy, if you'll saw some wood I'll tell you what I'll do."
"What's that, dad?"
"I'll let you have the sawdust to play circus with."

THE NEW PRIMARY LAW CREATES A QUANDARY

County Clerks In Doubt As To Their Power In Granting Petitions.

Frankfort, Ky., May 2.—County Clerks, with whom petitions must be filed by candidates seeking to have their names placed on the primary ballots, and whom the law says must, under penalty, place on the ballots the names of candidates who qualify and present petitions signed by the requisite number of voters, are anxiously inquiring how they are to distinguish those who qualify as party candidates and what they are to do when they are morally certain that the petitioner or the petition does not conform to the stipulations in the statute.

For instance, the candidate must be affiliated with the party on whose primary ballot he seeks to have his name, and must have supported its nominees at the last election. Also the petition must be signed by members of that particular party, and names of persons belonging to some other party signed to the petition must not be counted. The candidate is not required to swear to his declaration, and there is no penalty provided if he makes a false statement. In cities where voters register, the clerks will have no difficulty with regard to the question whether the candidate is a qualified voter, but since the secret ballot is in vogue in Kentucky, and it is the policy of the law to guard the secrecy of a voter's action in the booth, it will be a difficult matter for the clerk to determine whether the candidate and the signers of his petition supported one party or another in the last election.

Whether the clerks have some judicial powers to inquire into the party standing of the candidate and signers, or is a mere ministerial officer, who must take the petition at its face value, is something they are anxious to know. Practically, however, it is believed among State officials that clerks will have little trouble on this score, except where a coalition of Republicans and Progressives is attempted, and if anyone attempts to get on the ticket of a party with which he is not affiliated, some member of that party is quite certain to take legal steps to prevent it. It is believed that no candidate will jeopardize his chances by getting signers who are not in regular standing on his petition, and the candidates may be depended upon to take precautions to have their petitions regular.

PATRONS OF BUSINESS NOT WANTED AS CLERKS

When a Cleveland, O., bartender was asked why he doesn't drink he replied: "My boss doesn't like it; my conscience won't let me." More practical reasons for non-indulgence have never been given. [Cincinnati Times.]

Isn't it odd that the bar business is the only business in which the proprietor does not want his clerks to be patrons? Every other business would be glad to have their clerks take up as much as possible in trade. Not so with the saloon man, and it moves one to ask that if drinking is not good for the bartender, why is it not equally bad for everybody else? [Tuscaloosa (Ala.) Times-Gazette.]

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darius Downey, of Newburg Junction, N. B., writes: "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effective and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels, give them a trial. For sale by all dealers. (Advertisement.)

WHERE WOMEN ARE NOT ALLOWED—MOUNT ATHOS

The first and perhaps, the foremost, of the monasteries of the Mount Athos hermits, who, by the way, never have allowed woman-kind to enter the precincts of their grounds, much less the sacred enclosure of their conventicles, is on Vetopedi, a hill rising from the sea and commanding a splendid view of the historic surroundings, including the far-famed island of the Aegean. Here is a vast assemblage of monastic buildings surrounded by great walls. These buildings cover an area of four acres, and include no fewer than sixteen churches. Mount Athos is famous too, for its many relics, notably those of the True Cross, or the wood on which the Savior is said to have been crucified. It is claimed that by far the greater part of the wood now extant is in the monasteries of Athos. The good monks

of these monasteries are men of exemplary lives—simple, unaffected, moral. They are of austere habits, practice self-denial and perform many acts of mortification to make the body subject to the spirit. They are anchorites and celibates of the sternest type. As has been said, no woman is ever allowed to enter their monasteries, not even their grounds, so Athos may be styled an Eveless Eden in this respect. [Christian Herald.]

A PRAYER OF MOSES

Lord, thou hast been our dwelling place in all generations.

Before the mountains were brought forth, or ever thou hadst formed the earth and the universe, even from everlasting to everlasting, thou art God.

Thou turnest man to destruction; and sayest, Return ye children of men.

For a thousand years in thy sight are but as yesterday when it is past, and as a watch in the night.

Thou carriest them away as with a flood; they are as asleep; in the morning they are like grass which groweth up.

In the morning it flourisheth and groweth up; in the evening it is cut down and withered.

For we are consumed with thine anger, and by thy wrath we are troubled.

Thou hast set our iniquities before thee, our secret sins in the light of thy countenance.

For all our days are passed away in thy wrath; we spend our years as a tale that is told.

The days of our years are threescore years and ten; and if by reason of strength they be fourscore years, yet is their strength labor and sorrow; for it is soon cut off and we fly away.

So teach us to number our days that we may apply our hearts unto wisdom.

Oh, satisfy us early with thy mercy; that we may rejoice and be glad all our days.

Make us glad according to the days wherein thou hast afflicted us, and the years wherein we have seen evil.

Let thy work appear unto thy servants and thy glory unto their children.

And let the beauty of the Lord our God be upon us; and establish thou the work of our hands upon us; yea, the work of our hands, establish thou it. [Psalm XC.]

THREE LEGS ON FOUR MEN ARRESTED IN WINDY CITY

Chicago, Ill., April 26.—Four ragged men, with a total of three legs, who had increased their affliction by imbibing too freely, were arrested to-day while tumbling about on a street in front of a Fulton-street car. The car had been delayed 15 minutes when a patrol wagon arrived.

Those arrested: Philip Bell, whose legs are off above his knees; Michael Sullivan, Martin Casey and "John Doe," each having one leg. They were fined \$10 each when arraigned in Court.

Bell had fallen on the car tracks. The three one-legged men dropped their crutches in trying to rescue the fallen cripple and were unable to recover them when the police arrived.

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